

Speier amendment (No. 75 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that provides \$10 million in additional funds to increase training for investigators to properly investigate sexual assault related offenses;

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Radel amendment (No. 97 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that prohibits the use of any funds with respect to military action in Syria to the extent such action would be inconsistent with the War Powers Resolution;

**Pages H5015–17**

Massie amendment (No. 98 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that provides that no funds made available by this Act may be used to fund military or paramilitary operations in Egypt;

**Pages H5017–19**

Kilmer amendment (No. 67 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that protects DoD civilians' security clearances (by a recorded vote of 277 ayes to 142 noes, Roll No. 407);

**Pages H5006–07, H5019**

Terry amendment (No. 24 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that was debated on July 23rd that increases Defense-wide O/M by \$1 billion, while reducing funding in the Afghanistan Security Forces Fund by \$2.6 billion. The reduction would be in order to give DoD more flexibility to offset civilian furloughs (agreed by unanimous consent to withdraw the earlier request for a recorded vote to the end that the amendment stand adopted in accordance with the previous voice vote thereon); and

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Pompeo amendment (No. 99 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that ensures none of the funds may be used by the NSA to target a U.S. person or acquire and store the content of a U.S. person's communications, including phone calls and e-mails (by a recorded vote of 409 ayes to 12 noes, Roll No. 411).

**Pages H5021–23, H5027–28**

Rejected:

Jones amendment (No. 48 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that was debated on July 23rd that sought to restrict the use of funds approved by this Act from being used to carry out activities under the United States-Afghanistan Strategic Partnership Agreement, without being approved by Members of Congress (by a recorded vote of 177 ayes to 246 noes, Roll No. 401);

**Pages H5002–03**

Stockman amendment (No. 60 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that was debated on July 23rd that sought to prohibit participation by the People's Republic of China in joint U.S. military exercises (by a recorded vote of 137 ayes to 286 noes, Roll No. 404);

**Pages H5004–05**

Nadler amendment (No. 69 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that sought to prevent the further detention of Guantanamo Bay detainees that have already been cleared for release (by a recorded vote of 176 ayes to 242 noes, Roll No. 408);

**Pages H5007–09, H5019–20**

Nadler amendment (No. 70 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that sought to prevent further construction or expansion of existing facilities at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba (by a recorded vote of 187 ayes to 237 noes, Roll No. 409);

**Pages H5009–10, H5020–21**

Schiff amendment (No. 73 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that sought to prohibit funding the use of force pursuant to the Authorization for Use of Military Force (AUMF, PL 107–40) effective on December 31, 2014—concurrent with the end of our combat role in Afghanistan (by a recorded vote of 185 ayes to 236 noes, Roll No. 410); and

**Pages H5012–13, H5021**

Amash amendment (No. 100 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that sought to end authority for the blanket collection of records under the Patriot Act. Bars the NSA and other agencies from using Section 215 of the Patriot Act to collect records, including telephone call records, that pertain to persons who are not subject to an investigation under Section 215 (by a recorded vote of 205 ayes to 217 noes, Roll No. 412).

**Pages H5023–27, H5028–29**

Withdrawn:

Pierluisi amendment (No. 71 printed in H. Rept. 113–170) that was offered and subsequently withdrawn that would have enabled the Department of Defense to respond to significant public safety hazards and fulfill its environmental restoration responsibilities under CERCLA by removing unexploded ordnance from the Northwest Peninsula of the island of Culebra in Puerto Rico, which is a formerly used defense site where U.S. Navy ship-to-shore bombing and weapons training occurred from 1903 until 1975.

**Pages H5010–11**

Agreed that the Clerk be authorized to make technical and conforming changes to reflect the actions of the House.

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H. Res. 312, the rule providing for consideration of the bills (H.R. 2397) and (H.R. 2610) was agreed to yesterday, July 23rd.

**Moment of Silence:** The House observed a moment of silence in honor of Officer Jacob J. Chestnut and Detective John M. Gibson of the United States Capitol Police who were killed in the line of duty defending the Capitol against an intruder armed with a gun on July 24, 1998.

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**Meeting Hour:** Agreed that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 9 a.m. tomorrow, July 25th.

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**Senate Message:** Message received from the Senate today appears on page H5031.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Two yea-and-nay votes and 14 recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H5000–01, H5001–02, H5002–03, H5003, H5003–04,

H5004–05, H5005, H5006, H5019, H5019–20, H5020–21, H5021, H5027–28, H5028, H5030 and H5031. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 9:55 p.m.

## *Committee Meetings*

### **THE FUTURE OF THE CFTC: END-USER PERSPECTIVES**

*Committee On Agriculture:* Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities and Risk Management held a hearing entitled “The Future of the CFTC: End-User Perspectives”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### **MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE**

*Committee on Appropriations:* Full Committee held a markup on State and Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Bill, FY 2014. The bill was ordered reported, as amended.

### **REBALANCING TO THE ASIA/PACIFIC REGION AND IMPLICATIONS FOR U.S. NATIONAL SECURITY**

*Committee on Armed Services:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Rebalancing to the Asia-Pacific Region and Implications for U.S. National Security”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### **WOMEN IN SERVICE REVIEWS**

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Military Personnel held a hearing entitled “Women in Service Reviews”. Testimony was heard from Juliet Beyler, Director, Office and Enlisted Personnel Management, Department of Defense; Lieutenant General Gina M. Grosso, Director of Force Management Policy, Deputy Chief of Staff for Manpower, Personnel and Services, United States Air Force; Lieutenant General Robert E. Milstead, Jr., Deputy Commandant, Manpower and Reserve Affairs, United States Marine Corps; and Rear Admiral Barbara Sweredoski, Reserve Deputy, Military Personnel Plans and Policy, United States Navy.

### **MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE**

*Committee on Education and the Workforce:* Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 2637, the “Supporting Academic Freedom through Regulatory Relief Act”. The bill was ordered reported, as amended.

### **OVERVIEW OF THE RENEWABLE FUEL STANDARD: STAKEHOLDER PERSPECTIVES**

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Energy and Power concluded a hearing entitled “Overview of the Renewable Fuel Standard: Stake-

holder Perspectives”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY OVERSIGHT: WHAT IS NECESSARY TO IMPROVE PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND MISSION PERFORMANCE?**

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing entitled “Department of Energy Oversight: What is Necessary to Improve Project Management and Mission Performance?”. Testimony was heard from Daniel B. Poneman, Deputy Secretary, Department of Energy; Gregory H. Friedman, Inspector General, Department of Energy; and David C. Trimble, Director, National Resources and Environment Team, Government Accountability Office.

### **U.S.-E.U. FREE TRADE AGREEMENT: TIPPING OVER THE REGULATORY BARRIERS**

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade held a hearing entitled “The U.S.-E.U. Free Trade Agreement: Tipping Over the Regulatory Barriers”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### **MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES**

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Communications and Technology began a markup on the “Federal Communications Commission Process Reform Act of 2013”; and the “Federal Communications Commission Consolidated Reporting Act of 2013”.

### **MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE**

*Committee on Financial Services:* Full Committee concluded markup on H.R. 2767, the “Protecting American Taxpayers and Homeowners Act of 2013”. The bill was ordered reported, as amended.

### **MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES**

*Committee on Foreign Affairs:* Full Committee concluded markup on the following: H.R. 1409 to amend the Export Enhancement Act of 1988 to further enhance the promotion of exports of United States goods and services, and for other purposes; H.R. 1926, to further enhance the promotion of exports of United States goods and services, and for other purposes; and H.R. 2449, to authorize the President to extend the term of the Agreement for Cooperation between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Korea Concerning Civil Uses of Nuclear Energy for a period not to exceed March 19, 2016; and S. 793, to support revitalization and reform of the Organization of American States, and for other

purposes. The following bill was ordered reported, without amendment: H.R. 2449. The following bills were ordered reported, as amended: H.R. 1409; H.R. 1926; and S. 793.

#### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Homeland Security:* Subcommittee on Transportation Security held a markup on H.R. 1204, the “Aviation Security Stakeholder Participation Act of 2013”; H.R. 2719, the “Transportation Security Acquisition Reform Act”. The following bills were forwarded, as amended: H.R. 1204; and H.R. 2719.

#### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 1493, the “Sunshine for Regulatory Decrees and Settlements Act of 2013”; and H.R. 2122, the “Regulatory Accountability Act of 2013”. The following bills were ordered reported, without amendment: H.R. 1493; and H.R. 2122.

#### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Natural Resources:* Full Committee held a markup on the following: H.R. 555, the “BLM Live Internet Auctions Act”; H.R. 586, the “Denali National Park Improvement Act”; H.R. 638, the “National Wildlife Refuge Review Act of 2013”; H.R. 1394, the “Planning for American Energy Act of 2013”; H.R. 1410, the “Keep the Promise Act of 2013”; H.R. 1459, the “Ensuring Public Involvement in the Creation of National Monuments Act”; H.R. 1513, to revise the boundaries of the Gettysburg National Military Park to include the Gettysburg Train Station and certain land along Plum Run in Cumberland Township, to limit the means by which property within such revised boundaries may be acquired, and for other purposes; H.R. 1965, the “Federal Lands Jobs and Energy Security Act”; H.R. 2197, the “York River Wild and Scenic River Study Act of 2013”; H.R. 2337, the “Lake Hill Administrative Site Affordable Housing Act”; H.R. 2640, the “Central Oregon Jobs and Water Security Act”; S. 130, the “Powell Shooting Range Land Conveyance Act”; S. 157, the “Denali National Park Improvement Act”; S. 304, the “Natchez Trace Parkway Land Conveyance Act of 2013”; S. 459, the “Minuteman Missile National Historic Site Boundary Modification Act”. The following bills were ordered reported, without amendment: H.R. 555; H.R. 586; H.R. 638; H.R. 1394; H.R. 1410; H.R. 1459; H.R. 1513; H.R. 2197; H.R. 2337; H.R. 2640; S. 130; S. 157; S. 304; and S. 459. The following bill was ordered reported, as amended: H.R. 1965.

#### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Oversight and Government Reform:* Full Committee held a markup on the following: H.R. 2711, the “Citizen Empowerment Act”; H.R. 1541, the “Common Sense in Compensation Act”; H.R. 1660, the “Government Customer Service Improvement Act of 2013”; H.R. 2579, the “Government Employee Accountability Act”; H.R. 899, the “Unfunded Mandates Information and Transparency Act of 2013”; H.R. 1423, the “Taxpayers Right-To-Know Act”; and H.R. 2748, the “Postal Reform Act of 2013”. The following bills were ordered reported, as amended: H.R. 2748; H.R. 1541; H.R. 2579; H.R. 1423; H.R. 2711; H.R. 1660. The following bill was ordered reported, without amendment: H.R. 899.

#### LESSONS LEARNED: EPA’S INVESTIGATIONS OF HYDRAULIC FRACTURING

*Committee on Science, Space, And Technology:* Subcommittee on Environment; and Subcommittee on Energy held a hearing entitled “Lessons Learned: EPA’s Investigations of Hydraulic Fracturing”. Testimony was heard from Fred Hauchman, Director, Office of Science Policy, Office of Research and Development, Environmental Protection Agency; David A. Dzombak, Chair, Environmental Protection Agency, Science Advisory Board, Hydraulic Fracturing Research Advisory Panel; John Rogers, Associate Director, Oil and Gas, Division of Oil and Gas, and Mining, Utah Department of Natural Resources; and a public witness.

#### IMPROVING TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AT UNIVERSITIES, RESEARCH INSTITUTES AND NATIONAL LABORATORIES

*Committee on Science, Space, And Technology:* Subcommittee on Research and Technology held a hearing entitled “Improving Technology Transfer at Universities, Research Institutes and National Laboratories”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

#### REDUCING RED TAPE: THE NEW OIRA ADMINISTRATOR’S PERSPECTIVE

*Committee on Small Business:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Reducing Red Tape: The New OIRA Administrator’s Perspective”. Testimony was heard from Howard Shelanski, Administrator, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget.